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Baseball To Be Subject Of Academy Speaker

Clint Hoard, baseball writer and lecturer for the past 34 years, will speak at George Washington Hall, Phillips Academy, Friday, Oct. 31, at 8:15. His subject will be "Highlights of Baseball, with special attention to the 1947 World Series and Comments on the College Football of 1947."

As a denizen of Brooklyn, Clint Hoard has for many years been the Flatbush Faithfuls' Ambassador to baseball. Despite his long experience as a sports writer and columnist, Mr. Hoard's lectures are non-technical and as easily understood by the novice as by the seasoned baseball fan.

The doors of George Washington Hall will open at 7:30. The public is cordially invited.

V. F. W. Special Notice

The special meeting of Andover Post, 2128, V. F. W., called for Friday evening, October 24, in the V. F. W. Post Rooms, has been cancelled, and in its place a meeting will be held Sunday afternoon, Oct. 26, at 2 p. m., in the post rooms.

The Firing Squad, Color Bearers and Color Guards will be given special instructions at this meeting.

All members are asked to make a special effort to attend this meeting.

Arrangements are being made for the annual Armistice Eve banquet and dance to be held by the post in Memorial Auditorium the night of November 10. The dinner will be at 6:30, with the dance to follow. Tickets may be obtained from the post officers any time after Sunday's meeting.

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Guidance Meeting

The fall meeting of the Merrimack Valley Guidance Association will be held at the Lawrence Y. W. C. A., Monday evening, Oct. 27th, at 6:15 p. m. The feature of the evening will be an address by Dr. Dugald S. Arbuckle, Director of Student Personnel in the Boston University School of Education. Dr. Arbuckle comes from the Middle West and this is his first year at B. U. He received degrees in science and education from the University of Alberta in Canada in 1940 and 1942. He has taught and done personnel work in all types

of schools in country, town and city. He was a laboratory teacher in a Normal School for two years.

Dr. Arbuckle also did educational and psychological work with the Royal Canadian Air Force for two and a half years. He received his PH.D. in guidance and personnel work from the University of

Chicago. He was an educational consultant for the International Harvester Company. While Dr. Arbuckle was in Chicago he worked under Professor Rogers and Professor Williamson of Minnesota, both outstanding authorities in the field of guidance. His talk will be based on this experience.

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OUR LAST EDITORIAL

We approach this editorial with mixed feelings, because while it means for us the end of 15 and a half years of editorship of the Townsman, it also means the hope of a greater day for Andover's own newspaper.

It was a comparatively simple thing to come to the decision last spring to sell The Townsman and the printing plant, but it proved to be quite difficult. It is not just selling a business, it's selling an institution, a medium that has served Andover faithfully and well for sixty years on about as high a plane as any newspaper could be. It was ours to sell, because we owned it — but we couldn't help feeling that in a sense we held it in trust for the town. We've had over a hundred inquiries, from Maine to Pennsylvania. We've had cash offers that were tempting, that would have wound it all up some time ago. But there was always that thought that we had to be pretty fussy about who purchased our town's paper.

We think time will prove that we fulfilled that trust well. The new owner of The Townsman is Joseph K. Lilly, 3rd, hailing originally from Indianapolis where his forebears operate Eli Lilly & Co., nationally-known pharmaceutical house. After graduating from Cornell in 1939, he served for five years with the Army, being a major at the time of his discharge. Recently he has been publishing the Dedham Citizen, and the paper will henceforth be printed here at Andover.

An intelligent, personable, capable, young man, Mr. Lilly will beyond a doubt give to Andover the kind of newspaper service that a town like ours should have. We are hoping, too, that Andover will give to him the kind of support that The Townsman should have. The paper is a town institution dedicated to the service of the town, and as such it merits and needs the support of every citizen and every businessman in Andover. The Townsman has served for sixty years, with little thought for its own financial success, but with a courageous, altruistic desire to do everything in its power for Andover's best interests. That Andover is as good a town as it is, that it is as well-run as it is, is attributable in good measure to the unselfish service of The Townsman over those six decades.

It can do a better job. It can make Andover a better town. It can do a great deal, but it must have support. We are hoping that the number of advertisers will increase; we are hoping that the readers of The Townsman will support the advertisers who support the paper; we are hoping that local firms, local organizations will help make The Townsman's public service an even greater one by patronizing the very excellent print-shop that has been built up here in the last few years. Let's all help Mr. Lilly make our town paper the very best town paper there is.

We've enjoyed our work with The Townsman, and we're very grateful for the sentiments expressed by the many who have urged us to stay on here. For a few months we will be here with Mr. Lilly, but after that we want to get into something else of a more specialized nature.

There are a good many people to whom we owe thanks for their help and co-operation in the last decade and a half. We're going to try to thank them all personally in our remaining time here, town officials, businessmen, personal friends. There have been some whose interest and whose faith have made it possible for us to build up the plant to its present state of excellence, to a point where it would be attractive to a person of Mr. Lilly's caliber. We are, and the town should be, very grateful to them.

We've had our share of headaches, but we've had more than our share of pleasant experiences. We're going to be able to look back at our fifteen years with a great deal of satisfaction, stemming mainly from the fact that not once have we compromised with our feeling of what the town's best interests should be. We feel sure that Mr. Lilly will operate on the same policy, and we do hope that everyone here in town will do all in their power to make the maintaining of that policy possible.

Elmer J. Grover

WHAT DO YOU THINK ... OF AN EDUCATIONAL SURVEY OF ANDOVER'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS?

With American Education Week coming up on November 9 through 15, and with the question of whether or not to spend some more of the taxpayer's money on an educational survey to be reported on at the next town meeting, it seems an appropriate time to get a cross section opinion if the pros and cons.

To the uninitiate, this survey in Andover would be of the participatory type, as outlined by a speaker from the Harvard Graduate School of Education who spoke in Andover recently. This type of survey, which provides challenging field surveys as part of the Harvard Graduate School program in educational administration, simply means that citizens from representative groups in town participate in an effort to find the weaknesses and strong points of a given town's educational program. As many as 100 different towns-people might cooperate with the survey specialists in collecting and classifying the information needed in conducting the survey, which would make a comprehensive study of our entire school system.

If Andover were to decide to conduct such a survey, it would imply no criticism of existing conditions, but would indicate a desire on the part of the towns-people to take an overall look at the school picture, and to use the information so obtained in improving the school system.

The approximate cost of such a survey would be \$5000, according to an estimate made by Alfred D. Simpson, Associate Professor of Education at the Harvard Graduate school, in a letter addressed to Kenneth Sherman, superintendent of schools. This figure should

During the last year nation-wide attention has been focused on the plight of our public schools. From one end of the country to the other, editors, authors, columnists, broadcasters, and speakers have hammered away at the problem. All this publicity has had its effect, and the people are aroused to the seriousness of the crisis.

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October, 1947

not be construed as a bid on a survey, but a rough estimate furnished the school department at their request.

Kenneth L. Sherman, superintendent of schools: "Sure, I think a survey would be fine until I consider the cost. Like a great many other things, which we'd like to have but can't afford, an educational survey in Andover appears to me to be a luxury which the townspeople cannot in all fairness afford. In other words, why should the town spend that amount of money to find the defects in its school system, when in a great many cases it is unwilling to spend the money necessary to correct shortcomings which are apparent without a survey?"

I have spent the greater part of my time over a period of a year trying to cut down the cost per pupil by every possible means, and still uphold the standards which I think necessary in a modern, progressive, school system. Naturally I do not recommend an expenditure of \$6000.00 in 1948 when I clearly foresee the necessity of a building survey in

the very near future, possibly in 1949, because of increased enrollment.

"An article in this week's Saturday Evening Post entitled, 'Why School Supervisors Are Vanishing' does not describe my position, but it does point out the many pitfalls into which the public school superintendent may fall. I do not ask for so-called 'luxuries' in the school system, but for the continued backing and support of the community up to the point that it is ready to dispense with my services."

Miss Ann Harnedy, principal of the Shawsheen School: "Talking as an elementary school principal, I find it difficult to see the advantages in such a survey, although we at the Shawsheen school are prepared at any time to have anyone come in and check our methods or our program. In my opinion the money could be spent more advantageously in ways which are apparent to every principal."

"In my own particular case, I would appreciate more help in order that I might spend more time supervising my grades. The clerical work and endless details connected with distribution of milk, handling of subscriptions, various drives and collections, to name just a few, prevent my devoting as much time to superintending the school work as I should like. My work extends to the West Center school in the West Parish where I spend two days a week as principal of that school."

"There are no particular difficulties that need a survey to straighten them out in the elementary schools, unless it's a need for more time! I feel that the town hires its superintendent of schools as an educator, and that it is his job to detect the weaknesses, without laying out a large amount of money on a survey."

Mr. John M. Wilson, president of the Ballardvale Parent Teacher association: "If an educational survey of Andover's public schools will result in a better education for our children than they are now getting, I am definitely in favor of it. I feel that our primary aim as citizens and parents should be the advancement of the children's interests."

"If such a survey were to be made, however, I do feel that the participatory type has the most advantages, as it would undoubtedly foster a better understanding of school problems in the minds of the townspeople, and bring about a closer relationship between home and school."

William J. Doherty, bachelor, and member of the school committee: "I think a survey is a good idea if it will acquaint the townspeople with what's going on in the schools, and allow them to find out for themselves what the truth of the matter is. All kinds of stories are circulated, which aren't true, in regard to the running of the schools."

"In my opinion, the idea of a survey should come from the people themselves rather than pushed by the school department. It'll cost a lot of money—no question about that—and there's no point in making a survey unless it's a good one. There's no question but what a survey would bring to light ways of improving

the system, but that's true of any system. There is always room for improvement, but improvements cost money.

"In my opinion, the idea of a the citizens and the taxpayers to make that decision. There will be plenty of people who would block the survey if the result meant increased taxes. They are always with us, blind to what is going on. There are none so blind as those who will not see."

John F. O'Connell, one of Andover's heaviest taxpayers: "I feel that a public survey of the Andover public school system has long been overdue. On the other hand, it would be a waste of time, as there isn't sufficient civic courage in any town meeting to correct, or curtail, where schools are involved."

"At the last town meeting, a motion to hold down the school expenditures to a generous one-quarter of a million dollars seemed to have passed on the voice vote. However, the moderator ruled otherwise. Undoubtedly every one of the 1000 people present had voted yes or no, but on the standing vote, the total showed that 400 people hadn't the civic courage to rise and register one way or the other."

The most shocking incident followed when most of the school teachers and employees, and their sisters, cousins, and aunts, swept from the hall with a merry nod and a laugh, temporarily breaking up the meeting, and leaving the rest of the voters to struggle with the 30 or 40 articles remaining."

Miss Catherine Barrett, principal of the central elementary schools: "In my opinion such a large sum of money could be spent to better advantage than on a survey. I believe that here in Andover we have members on our school board and a superintendent who are quick to detect the weaknesses and the strong points in our system, and are as able to strengthen the weaknesses as they are to recognize the strength!"

"If the expenditure of this money for a survey meant, however, a better chance for a superior education, and for the resulting increased happiness of the adults that our children will become, then I am definitely in favor of such a survey."

Mrs. Walter E. Mondale, president of the Andover Parent Teacher Council: "I am definitely not in favor of such a survey. If the citizens of Andover felt that their school system was in such a weakened state that only a comprehensive survey would straighten out the difficulties, well and good, but I feel that just the opposite is true. From well-informed sources I have learned that Andover has one of the best run school systems, by actual test, in the state. Under the circumstances, I feel that such an outlay of money is unjustified."

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Woman On The Beach

Joan Bennet, Robert Ryan
3:30; 6:25; 9:20

Ginger

Frank Albertson, Barbara Reed
1:55; 4:50; 7:45

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY — November 4, 5, 6

Repeat Performance

Louis Hayward, Joan Leslie
3:05; 6:00; 8:55

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1:45; 4:40; 7:35

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Communications...

The Last Word?

To the Editor:

I also, like Mr. Peterson, aimed "to preserve pure and undefiled the minds of the youth of the town" and not "to engage in argument for argument's sake"—tho, by the way, I do not know why argument for argument's sake is not as innocent a sport as football. But if those minds are to be kept pure and undefiled, they must not swallow Mr. Peterson's broth without filtering.

When he calls my skepticism about supplying words "superstitious," all I have to do is call his faith in supplying words superstitious, and we are even; and those pure and undefiled minds will have learned the useful lesson that calling names proves nothing. But when he calls my assertion that "such as we" is the object of the preposition "on" nonsensical, argument is a useful method of replying. It is elementary grammar that if a substantive object of a preposition has modifiers, the combination of the substantive and its modifiers may properly be said to be the object. If I say "for big boxes of candy," it can be said that the object of "for" is "boxes," but it is at least equally correct, it not a trifle more so, to say that "big boxes of candy" is the object. So if, as Mr. Peterson says, "such" is the object of "on," and "as we" is a modifier of "such," then "such as we" is rightly called the object of "on" without having to be a noun clause.

Now when Fowler approves "tolerate such men as him," if Mr. Peterson's arguments were sound it would have to be "as he"; for every part of Mr. Peterson's argument applies equally to "such men as him." No part of his argument depends for its force on whether "such" is substantive of adjective. Mr. Peterson's assertion, without argument, that "clearly" his arguments do not apply when there is a noun after "such" carries no conviction. And does his faith in supplying missing words not teach him that "such" is originally and properly an adjective, so that "such as we" is elliptical for "such men as we" and therefore the choice between "we" and "us" is the same without "men" as with?

The Oxford Dictionary, discussing "such as," says in definition 10b "The clause introduced by as may be reduced to the subject only; when this is a pronoun, it may be either nominative or accusative, e.g. 'such as me' or 'such as I' (sc. am)." So the biggest and most scientific of English dictionaries certifies that "such as me" is correctly possible even while you describe "me" as the subject of an incomplete clause. Among the cases in point it cites a sentence from Hoccleve, about 1412 A. D., which says "to swich a man as me." This citation from Hoccleve teaches two lessons: first, that the objective form of the pronoun in such a connection is not a modern corruption of the language; second, when Hoccleve's sentence is compared with the words of the definition, that in the judgment of the eminent scholars who made that dictionary an example with the word "man"

after "such" is correctly cited to support the allegation that the phrase without "man" is right, the presence or absence of "man" making no difference as to the form of the pronoun.

So Fowler is right in calling it "somewhat pedantic" to demand "we" as a matter of grammar. "We" can be much better defended on the ground that "such as us" is an unmusical string of vowels and consonants.

Steven T. Byington

Letter of Thanks

At the Fall meeting of the Andover Recreational Council, held last Wednesday, the following letter, to be sent to Mr. Jerome Cross of the Cross Coal Company, was read by the secretary, Francis P. Markey:

Dear Mr. Cross:

Wednesday evening the Fall meeting of the Recreational Committee was held, at which time the supervisors of our playground at Pomp's Pond were present.

From all members came heartfelt thanks for your kind co-operation during the summer months in providing a bus for the transportation of our youngsters to the swimming beach. Many of them would not have been able to partake of this summer pleasure if it had not been for your kind generosity, and it was the unanimous vote of our meeting that we extend to you our sincere thanks and appreciation.

Very truly yours,

STAFFORD A. LINDSAY,
Chairman

Blind Organist to Play in Methuen

Andre Marchal, eminent organist of the Church of St. Eustache, in Paris, France, will make his first appearance in this part of the country on November 12th at Methuen. He will be heard to advantage on the magnificent Boston Music Hall organ, recently rebuilt and regarded by organists generally as one of the finest instruments in the United States.

M. Marchal, though handicapped by blindness, has attained the highest position among European musicians and is considered one of the world's outstanding exponents of the art of improvisation.

The seating capacity of the Music Hall at Methuen is limited; and those desiring to attend are urged to order tickets in advance from the Methuen Memorial Music Hall, Box L, Methuen.

To Hold Piano Recital

Howard Goding, eminent pianist, who played for the North Andover Woman's Club last November, will give a free Pianoforte Recital in Jordan Hall, Boston, Nov. 6, at 8:15 p. m. Mr. Goding, who is head of the pianoforte department of the New England Conservatory will play: Kabalevsky, Two Preludes, op. 38; Mendelssohn Variations serieuses, op. 54; Schumann, Phantasie, op. 17; and Debussy, Poissone d'or, Voiles, Minstrels, La puerta del vino, and L'isle joyeuse.

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For instance, did you know that 982 children came to the movies and story hours here at the library last year? And that 64 little people and their mothers came to the first grade party? That 69 came to the story hours held for the very littlest ones, called the pre-school group? That 140 young people attended the ever-popular story hour conducted by Mr. Cronan, nationally known story teller? That approximately 2598 boys and girls were reached by story hours in the schools? That there are constant changes in the exhibits in the Young People's Room—everything from books printed in Russian to collections of miniature horses? That about 1500 books are stamped out to young people from the room every month? That that means about 3000 questions are answered in that period of time? (Did you ever

know a question-asking child who stopped at one "why," or "how," or "when" or "what"?)

This department of the library is a lively one. Why not drop in some time and see for yourself?

Pastel Drawings On Display

There are three pastel drawings on display in the main reading room of the Memorial Hall Library, the work of Mrs. Lola Leighton. Two outdoor scenes and one portrait form an interesting sample of the possibilities of work with this medium. For those interested in beginning this delightful study, we suggest the book, "Technique of Pastel Painting," by Leonard Richmond, which may be borrowed from the library.

Open House Date

It isn't too late to make a mental reservation for the afternoon of November 16, Sunday, at which time the Memorial Hall Library holds Open House from 3:00 to 5:00. Remember—November 16!

Art Week Observance

American Art Week will be observed again this year from November 1 through November 7. Each year this special recognition of art and its place in the world makes one of the most interesting and meaningful of those weeks set aside for stress of various themes. Special attention to the work of fine illustrators will be the angle emphasized by the library, where books representing the wide field of book illustration will be on display.

Some of the finest illustrating is done in books written for boys and girls. There will be an exhibit of such fine work in the Young People's Room for the period of Art Week.

Study Courses At the Library

Do you remember the courses offered at the library last year—Tray Painting and Conversational Spanish? This year we are planning to make others available to Andover and neighboring communities. Get your questionnaire blank at the library so that you may have a voice in the final selection of courses to be offered.

Adult Reading Program In Family Life

An adult reading program to encourage the reading of good books in the field of family relationships is being sponsored by the Massachusetts Division of Public Libraries and allied organizations. Ask about it at the library.

New Books

The following books have been added to the Memorial Hall Library, some fiction, several non-fiction. Any book may be reserved for home use.

Big Ember

A vivid episode of an Indian raid, made by the Sioux on a Minnesota homestead group. Convincing writing, with excellent feeling for the courage and steadfastness of the pioneers into the danger regions.

The Web of Days

If you enjoyed "Dragonwyck," this story will have an appeal. Here is the almost human hold of a great Southern estate, Seven Chimneys, over all those who came

under its roof, and the influence it exerted over innocent and unsuspecting characters.

So Dear to My Heart

A poignant story of young Jeremiah Tarleton, a lonesome ten-year-old orphan who lives with his grandmother in the Indiana of 1900. There is something of the charm of the story, "The Yearling," with the object of the boy's devotion in this case being a black lamb.

Whirlwind in Petticoats

Fictional biography of Victoria Claflin Woodhull, who made the early steps for women's rights in nineteenth century America. Convinced that woman's place was not in the kitchen, she proceeded, through many phases, to be so "unwomanly" as to be a candidate for the presidency of the United States.

Disturb Not Our Dreams

A lovely story of a great-hearted kindness, as the disfigured child, left on a doorstep, becomes the whole purpose of the lives of all the ladies of "Idle Downs."

Eliza

To the dismay of her family, Eliza Thorne defied her Quaker upbringing and married Thomas Barrett, to follow him across the continent to Puget Sound, to make a home in the Pacific Northwest. Washington Territory of the early 80's was a shock to her gentle ways, but her courage and faith protected her from much of the violence of crude pioneer life.

The Exodus

Here is the personality of a man, created from meager records. It is the story of Moses, as a baby abandoned by a river side and brought up by an Egyptian princess—Moses, as a man, the teacher who handed down the Ten Commandments—Moses, as a leader, who brought his people out of bondage and into the promised land.

Locals

Miss Marguerite Shaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton D. Shaw of Wildwood road, has been elected treasurer of the Student Christian Association at Westbrook Junior College in Portland, Me. Miss Shaw, who attended Punchard high school, is a senior at Westbrook, where she is enrolled in the pre-merchandising curriculum.

Mrs. Frederick C. Smith of Stratford road, and Mrs. Edwin L. Bramley, Appletree Lane, played an important part in the tenth district conference of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs, held Thursday in the Parish house of the Belleville Congregational Church in Newburyport. Mrs. Smith, Northeastern Regional vice-president, spoke, and Mrs. Bramley, district chairman, presented the speaker.

Miss Emma Briggs, R. N., and Mrs. Shirley Edgerton, R. N., both of the Shawsheen Mills, and Miss Elsie Livingstone, R. N., of the Tyer Rubber Company, attended a meeting of the industrial nurses of the Merrimack Valley, held recently at the Y. W. C. A. in Lawrence.

Miss Eileen Tisbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Tisbert of Chandler road, West Andover, received her diploma from the Nurses' School of the New England Hospital for Women and Children, at exercises held Thursday evening at the First Church of Boston.

Miss Julia Gage, 8 High street, is taking a special course at the Nursery Training School of Boston, which prepares teachers of children two to five years of age. The famous little Ruggles Street Nursery School is demonstration center for the training school, which requires of its students a minimum of two years of college or the equivalent.

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Full Military Funeral Will Be Ministered To Andover's Honored Dead

The last respects will be paid by a solemn and respectful citizenry next week when the body of Private John W. Bourdelais comes home to Andover to find its last resting place.

Private Bourdelais, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Octave Bourdelais, 55 Chandler road, died in action in Holland on October 20, 1944. His body was one of 6,251 war dead disinterred from military cemeteries in Europe and Newfoundland and brought to this country aboard the transport Joseph V. Connolly, which came into New York harbor last Sunday.

According to a telegram received by Francis P. Markey, Veterans' Administrator, the body will leave New York on November 1, or shortly after, and will be met at the Lawrence railroad station by a combined escort of Andover Post 2128, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and Andover Post 8, American Legion. The body will be under the charge of Thomas Cadaret, Lawrence.

When the body arrives in Andover, all flags will be at half staff and will remain at half staff until the evening of the day of burial; and at the beginning of the religious services, the Central Fire Station bell will be tolled for two minutes.

Veterans will observe an honor guard over the body, which will remain at the home of the parents for one or two days, followed by a full military funeral.

Church services will be held in St. Patrick's church, Lawrence, and interment will be in the Holy Sepulchre cemetery in North Andover, the date to be announced later.

All local veterans are asked to keep in touch with their post commanders, as the exact date of the body's arrival is uncertain.

58 War Dead

Private Bourdelais is one of 58 Andover war dead, some of whom

TO THE CITIZENS OF ANDOVER

The first of our war dead to come home from foreign soil will arrive in Andover this week-end, probably on Saturday. Our veteran organizations will pay the military honors that call attention to his sacrifice. It is impossible for all of us to be present at the services conducted for this soldier who died that we might live in comfort, security, and freedom. We can, however, pause for a moment, offer thanks for his devotion to his duty, and consider seriously what each of us can do to atone, in some small way, for what he has done for us. At the beginning of the religious services, the Central Fire Station bell will be tolled for two minutes. Let everyone, who can, desist from his usual occupation, and pay his respects to this Andover citizen who has given his all for you and me.

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will be returned to this country at a later date. The body of Private Bourdelais was disinterred from the Henri Chappelle cemetery, Eupen, Belgium.

V. F. W. To Meet

Representatives of Andover Post 2128, V. F. W., went Tuesday evening to pay their respects to Mrs. Octave Bourdelais. A special meeting will be held on Friday evening, October 31, at 8 o'clock in the post rooms, with special instructions for the firing squad, color guards, and color bearers. All those willing to participate in the military funeral of their dead comrade are requested to be at this meeting to be assigned to their posts. Commander William Hulse will be in charge.

New York Service

The transport which brought the honored war dead to New York was met at the harbor entrance by two destroyers, which strewed floral pieces on the water after a religious ceremony on board.

The flag-draped casket of a Congressional Medal of Honor winner, chosen by the War Department as the symbol of his fellows, and whose identity will not be made public, rested on the boat deck behind the pilot house, which was covered with wreaths. A guard of honor stood at the casket, and bluejackets on the destroyer lined the rails at attention, as Army and Navy installations in the harbor fired 21-gun salutes, and war planes roared overhead.

A brief ceremony was also held in Central Park in honor of the returning soldiers.

World Community Day

The World Community Day meeting will be held this year at the Andover Baptist church on Friday, November 7, at 3 p. m.

What is it? This question has been asked, and here is the answer. World Community Day is the title of one of the meetings sponsored by the Andover United Council of Church Women, along with the meeting of the World Day of Prayer during Lent, and the World Fellowship Day in May. These three meetings of the year center around world interests.

World Community Day discusses some phases of the United Nations work, with the emphasis on the Christian's responsibility for world peace. World Day of Prayer unites women all over the world in a universal prayer service for our world. World Fellowship Day calls attention to the concern of Christian women to the needs of brotherhood, Christian racial relations, and economic ills of our country and our world. It encourages unity and fellowship among Christian women in local communities in the observance of this day.

The Andover Council of Church Women is an organized group of women including the women's societies in the churches. Its board of directors is made up of representatives from each of these societies. It is a united church woman's organization. Through these three meetings held through the year, it is responsible for bringing church women together to think and pray and work for a united Christian effort for peace, for prayer, for fellowship. All women are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

At the meeting a speech choir of sixteen girls from the different churches will present the preamble of the Charter of the United Nations. This is under the direction of Mrs. Oswald Tower of the Academy church, and Mrs. Thaxter Eaton of the South church. Mrs. John Gaskill of the West church will conduct the worship service, and the program on the subject of UNESCO (United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization) will be led by Mrs. C. Edward Buchan with a participating group. The project for World Community Day is the packing of school outfit gifts in the form of "clothing bundles" and "shoe and school boxes," which is being done by the Andover church women to be brought to this meeting and sent to the Church World Service Center in Boston for shipment overseas.

FIRE FIGHTERS

For the first time since the hurricane of 1938, units of the Massachusetts National Guard were mobilized last week for an internal disorder, the disastrous fires that swept the Pittsfield, Gloucester, and Cape Cod areas.

Working in eight-hour shifts, Guardsmen constructed firebreaks, prevented looting of private property, guarded business districts, and provided first aid to the injured. Operating in teams, they worked side-by-side with firemen and volunteers to prevent the spread of flames that caused millions of dollars in forest and property damage.

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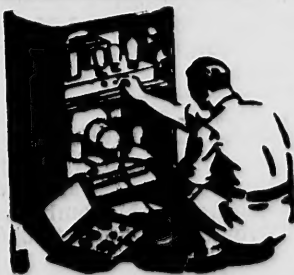
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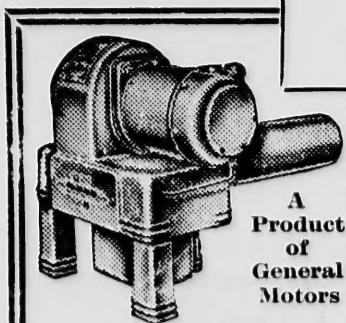
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Troop 70—Christ Church

The troop met on Friday evening at 6:30 with 16 boys present. Any Andover boys interested in joining the troop are asked to report to Scoutmaster Harrison Brown or Chairman of Troop Committee Rev. John S. Moses. Interesting programs are being planned for the year.

Troop 71—Shawsheen School

The troop met on Monday evening, October 27, and the opening exercises were in charge of Senior Patrol Leader Jack Caswell. Training was held in First Class first aid, Second Class signaling, knife and hatchet, and uniform and insignia. A period of games was enjoyed. Troop equipment was in charge of Quartermaster Emery LeTourneau.

Troop 72—Free Church

Many new recruits are attending the meetings and receiving instruction from Assistant Scoutmaster Cargill and patrol leaders. Gregory Arabian has completed the Eagle Scout requirements and will be presented the highest award at the annual Scout dinner in the Spring. Hikes and outdoor activities are being planned for the year.

Troop 73—South Church

The troop is getting off to a good start under the leadership of Scoutmaster Leslie Mullin. The troop will be run by the Scouts through the Green Bar staff of patrol leaders. Several Scouts are working hard on the First Class requirements.

Troop 75—St. Augustine's

Justin L. Rex, scoutmaster, and William Dolan, assistant scoutmaster, have a large troop this year, and an active year of Scout activities is under way.

Boy Scouts To Build Equipment at Pomp's

At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen on Monday night, it was voted to grant the request of the Boy Scouts to build benches, fireplaces, and other structures of a semi-permanent nature on the land adjacent to Pomp's Pond. The stipulation was made, however, that these improvements be built at a sufficient distance from the bathing area, so that there would be no conflict in operation.

Hallowe'en Party Held by Scouts

Cub Pack 71 held their annual Hallowe'en party at the Shawsheen school Thursday evening, under the direction of Cubmaster Henry Beliveau.

Mrs. G. Edgar Best, Mrs. Raymond Pearl, Mrs. George Henrick, Mrs. Frank J. Killilea, Mrs. William Sullivan, and Mrs. Lincoln Vaughan, den mothers, served refreshments and added to the festivities. Committee members Mr. Blomquist and Mr. Vaughan were present.

Central P. T. A. Observes American Education Week

"The Schools Are Yours" is the forceful theme for the observation of the 26th American Education Week, to be observed November 9 through 15. The Central P. T. A. will hold open house during Education Week, and will hear Dr. Worcester Warren of Boston University on the evening of November 12, Wednesday, in Memorial Auditorium.

Teachers of the Stowe and Jackson schools will be in their rooms from 7:45 to 8:30 p. m.

Teachers of the Junior High School will be in their rooms from 7:15 to 8:30 p. m. The shops, homemaking rooms, and laboratories will be open.

Teachers of Punchard High School will be in their rooms from 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.

Mrs. Harrison Brown, president of the association, will open the Parent-Teacher meeting at 8:45 p. m. in Memorial Auditorium. Dr. Warren, who is active in Parent-Teacher Association affairs and on the State Parent-Teacher board, will speak on the important subject "Home and School Relations."

The P. T. A. joins with the school department in extending a cordial invitation to all citizens to visit their own schools.

Andover P. T. A. Council Plans Spring Conference

The Andover P. T. A. Council, made up of delegates from the Andover Central, Shawsheen, Ballardvale, and North Andover P. T. A.'s, met in the Punchard High school library on Monday evening to discuss plans for the sixth district annual conference, which will be held in Andover in April, tentatively set for the 17th.

Mrs. Walter Mondale, president of the Council, presided and introduced Mrs. Martin Connors of Lowell, 6th District Director, under whom the Council will work in making plans for the conference, which will attract delegates from the fifty or more units in this district.

Nominating Committee Report

The report of the nominating committee was read by Mrs. Frank Green, chairman, and the following officers were elected by the secretary, casting one vote: Mrs. Walter Mondale, re-elected as president; vice-president, Mrs. George Brown; secretary, Mrs. Edward Bradley; treasurer, Mrs. Ernest Abbott of North Andover.

The nominating committee was as follows: Mrs. Frank Green, chairman; Mrs. Walter Caswell, Miss Catherine Barrett, and Mrs. Ernest Abbott.

Invitation Extended

Mrs. George Brown suggested that the Founder's Day celebration, which the Ballardvale unit has handled so successfully in other years, be made a joint meeting and extended an invitation to the other units of the council to attend this affair on February 5 at the Bradlee school.

Council Delegates

Mrs. Robert Hatton was appointed Council Publicity Chairman. The following units in the Council and their delegates are as follows:

Central: Mrs. Harrison Brown, Mrs. Gordon Colquhoun, Mrs. Kenneth Penwell, Mrs. Merrill Burnett, Mrs. Walter Mondale, Miss Catherine Barrett, and Mrs. Robert Hatton. Ballardvale: Mrs. Pauline McFarlane, Mrs. George Brown, Arthur Weiss, Mrs. John Wilson, Miss Loux, Mrs. Frank Green, and Mrs. George Forsythe.

Shawsheen: Mrs. Phillip A. Costello, Mrs. Walter Caswell, Paul McKinnon, Mrs. Edward Bradley, Mrs. Walter Curran, Miss Ann Harnedy, and Mrs. John Lowe.

The North Andover unit was represented at the Council by Mrs. Ernest Abbott.

Community Relations

A community relations committee was appointed by the president to fulfill one of the primary objectives of the Council, that of acquainting not only the parents of the local school children, but citizens in general with the workings of the school system, and its relative importance to the townspeople.

Mrs. Phillip A. Costello was made chairman of the committee, which includes Miss Catherine Barrett, Mrs. Harrison Brown, Paul McKinnon, Mrs. George Forsythe, and Arthur Weiss.

November Club to Meet

The November Club will hold its first meeting of the season on Monday afternoon, November 3, at the November Club at 3:00 o'clock.

Governor To Address

The Andover School Department will hold an important meeting on Monday, November 3, when Governor Gibson will address the members of the Andover Inn during the luncheon. The meeting is scheduled to start at 12:30 p. m.

Tentative plans to have Governor Gibson broadcast, and Mr. Gibson has not yet been contacted. Governor Gibson will be in Andover for dinner and to address the members of the Andover Inn during the luncheon.

Walter Mondale, program committee chairman, includes Frank L. Stillman, C. Carl Walter Billings.

At the club's Thursday evening meeting, members heard Fred of the Phillips who talked of "The British Problems."

Mr. Allis' speech was a great deal of interest, and followed by a very informative talk, a period which included spontaneous members, consumed the period.

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Governor Gibson of Vermont To Address Service Club

The Andover Service Club will hold an important banquet meeting on Monday, November 3, when Governor Gibson of Vermont will address the members at the Andover Inn during the dinner scheduled to start at 6:30 p. m.

Tentative plans have been made to have Governor Gibson's speech broadcast, and members who have not contacted Gus Farragher, secretary, for dinner reservations, are urged to do so immediately.

Walter Mondale heads the program committee, which also includes Frank Brigham, Howell Stillman, C. Carleton Kimball, and Walter Billings.

At the club's dinner meeting Thursday evening at the Inn, members heard Frederick S. Allis, Jr., of the Phillips Academy faculty, who talked on the subject, "The British Empire and Her Problems."

Mr. Allis' subject aroused a great deal of interest in his audience, and following his highly informative talk, a lively question period which involved a number of spontaneous speeches by members, consumed a considerable period.

Mr. Allis asserted that in his opinion, Britain's present predicament was not due to the present Socialist government, but he believed that any other government which might be in power would be facing the problems involved and thus find itself in the same predicament. He believes that Britain is trying now to see if she can maintain political freedom while at the same time effecting economic controls.

He described Britain's position as hopeless unless she can export to us, and designated England a very good investment for the United States.

He said that unless the U. S. kept her going, her resources and manpower are not sufficient to maintain her empire, since her dependency upon Africa, practically untapped, is her only source of income.

President Clinton D. Shaw called upon the members to stand a minute in silent tribute to the memory of their late member, Reeve Chipman, who died since the last meeting, and Attorney R. Vincent O'Sullivan of Lawrence spoke on the Community Chest drive.

Fire Department Given Help From Many Sources

With matters temporarily quiet on the Andover fire-fighting front, Chief Edward Buchan took some time out this week to express appreciation to the many agencies and groups that co-operated with his department during the emergency last week.

The chief commends the people of Andover, who have painstakingly observed fire precautions, making any in-town fire-fighting negligible. He described the activities of the department as trying to keep the fires out of town, rather than battling any real fire in Andover proper.

Coffee and food for the exhausted fire-fighters was provided by a number of different groups, including the Andover Chapter of the Red Cross, the Wilmington Legion Auxiliary, the Salvation Army and the Andover Inn; among those co-operating was the Watson Park Chemical Company, a group of Phillips Academy students, details of local Boy Scout troops, and state guardsmen in addition to scores of volunteers.

The Watson Park fire apparatus, including 2,000 ft. of hose, was put at the disposal of the fire department through the courtesy of Selectman Shepard, whose personal jeep was also called into service.

State guardsmen under the Department of Conservation patrolled the dangerous areas constantly, and state highway crews from the State Board of Public Works under Foreman Anderson carried hose and worked in conjunction with the local department. The crews and trucks from this agency are on 24-hour call till the emergency is over.

John Campbell, stationed in the State Forest Fire Observation Tower, was in constant touch with the department and worked a rigorous schedule over the critical period.

Chief Buchan gave a great deal of credit to the Academy students, who reported on Thursday morning in charge of N. Hallowell, Jr., and Alexander Gibson, instructors, under an arrangement made by the chief with J. Grenville Benedict, registrar at the Academy. The students displayed the greatest co-operation in carrying out orders explicitly and were of great help, according to the chief. A detail of the boys stood by for calls throughout the weekend.

Eugene Lovely, principal of the High School, offered the services of the Senior boys, and a number of the students were assigned to pieces of apparatus.

The mutual aid plan, which was discussed and decided upon on Wednesday night, October 22, in Lawrence by the chiefs of the Andover, Lawrence, North Andover and Methuen fire departments, was immediately called into service on the following morning, when Chief Buchan called on the Lawrence department to stand in here for help sent to the Rockport-Gloucester fire.

A highlight at the scene of the Rockport fire, which was extremely well-lighted, was on the occasion of a farm threatened by flames, when members of the various departments were endeavoring to save the animals. Men from the Andover department succeeded in releasing a number of pigs, but in their enthusiasm they pulled out Benny Brown by mistake.

Under the mutual aid plan of the fire departments 2,400 feet of 2½-inch hose is now all loaded in Engine 2, ready for action, to be used where needed most.

As fire warden for Andover, distinct from his position as Andover's fire department head, Chief Buchan has the authority to call upon any able male from the age of 18 to 50, but he made the comment that this was not necessary in the emergency, as help came voluntarily from many sources.



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Art Contest

Last week we mentioned briefly an art contest, sponsored by the Bay State Merchants' National Bank. This week, we have a complete listing of all the pictures that are to be exhibited. They are, with the artist's name and the date of the showing:

Love, Labor, Leisure, by Adolf Dehn, Oct. 20 to Nov. 5; Near the Foothills, by Dale Nichols, Nov. 5 to Nov. 20; Ceret, France, by Arbit Blatas, Nov. 20 to Dec. 5; On Shore at Gill's Rock, by William S. Schwartz, Dec. 5 to Dec. 20; White River Settlement, by Paul Sample, Dec. 20 to Jan. 5, 1948; Girl Braiding Hair, by Ralph Soyer, Jan. 5 to Jan. 20; High Dunes, by George Grcsz, Jan. 20 to Feb. 5; Blue Valley Fox Hunt, by John De Martelly, Feb. 5 to Feb. 20; Dunes Landscape, by Aaron Bohrod, Feb. 20 to March 5; Charles Laughton as Captain Kidd, by Fletcher Martin, March 5 to March 20; Carnival in Cripplebush, by Marion Greenwood, March 20 to April 5; Girl Peeling Pears, by Ernest Feine, April 5 to April 20; The Gilden Horse, by John Steuart, April 20 to May 5; Old Oak, by Nicolai Cikovsky, May 5 to May 20; Birthday Bouquet, by Jacob Getlar Smith, May 20 to June 5; A Portrait, by Luigi Lucioni, June 5 to June 20; Stacking Wheat, by Joe Jones, June 20 to

July 5; Ranch Near Encino, by Peter Hurd, July 5 to July 20; Mining Town, by Arnold Blanch, July 20 to August 5; The Waltz, by Doris Lee, Aug. 5 to Aug. 20; The Practical Idealist, by Grant Wood, Aug. 20 to Sept. 5; Retired, by John McCrady, Sept. 5 to Sept. 20; Old Negro Slave, Georgia, by Robert Benney, Sept. 20 to Oct. 5; Empty Hands, by Umberto Romano, Oct. 5 to October 20.

The pictures will be exhibited on Friday of the weeks shown. A prize in the form of a \$400 scholarship, will be awarded to the student who writes the best essay on the general topic, "What American Art Means to Me."

Class Officers

All three of the classes have now completed the elections of their class officers. The Senior class held up the publication, because of the necessity of electing the chairmen of several committees other than the regular Social Committee Chairman. The officers are:

Sophomore class: president, John McCarthy; vice-president, Raymond Collins; secretary, Mary McKee; treasurer, Sidney Watson; chairman of the social committee, Justin Curry.

Junior class: president, Robert Deyermund; vice-president, John Craig; secretary, Betty Jane O'Connor; treasurer, Beverly Arthur; chairman of the social committee, Joyce Demers.

Senior class: president, Vincent Davey; vice-president, Donald Beccotte; secretary, Richard Kydd; treasurer, Elaine Matton; chairman of social committee, Fred Cole; chairman of class picture committee, Jane Draper; chairman of class book committee, Joan Gallagher; chairman of dramatic committee, Jack Sherman.

The faculty advisers for these Senior committees are: class book, Mr. Gregory; class picture and class supper, Mrs. Carter; social committee, Mr. Doherty; dramatic, Miss Fox.

Library Club

The members of the Library Club have elected their officers. They are: president, Joan Gallagher; vice-president, Elaine MacLellan; secretary, Claire Berube; treasurer, Betty Jane Cronin. The girls have started their duties maintaining the library, and are doing a very good job.

Pepsi-Cola Scholarship Contest

The four Seniors who were elected by their classmates to take the annual Pepsi-Cola scholarship exam are now brushing up on their studies under the supervision of Miss Lillian J. Fox. The students are Joan Capen, Polly Black, Eric Halbach, and John Pingree. The prize for this contest is a four-year scholarship to any accredited college of the winner's choice. The four from Punchard will take the exam some time next month. These will be graded, and the fifteen highest in the state will take the regular College Board exam at a special session. The highest boy and girl in the state will be awarded the prize.

Citizens' Food Committee Meets

At a meeting of the local Citizens' Food Committee on Tuesday evening, it was generally agreed to comply with the President's request on the saving of food, and methods of bringing a food-saving program home to the general public was discussed.

It was decided to post notices in all the public schools, through the co-operation of Superintendent Kenneth Sherman, calling the attention of the children to the necessity of being food-savers, not food-wasters, and to eat all of the food on their plates at every meal.

The committee adopted resolutions advising the community to eat fruit, to buy the food which is plentiful in local markets, and not to overbuy.

It was stressed that the townspeople should co-operate with the restaurants which serve bread and butter only upon request. One of the means of saving food recommended was by using up all old bread.

Rev. Noss referred to an article in The New York Times, warning citizens against sending food packages to unknown persons, as a black market has unfortunately sprung up in this business. Local people are asked to send no packages to strangers upon letters of appeal, unless referred to the local Red Cross.

It was urged that more people sent packages the CARE way, full particulars of which may be secured from Red Cross headquarters. Packages sent in this manner may be handled with a minimum of expense and effort. Kosher, infant (up to six months), baby (over six months), and standard packages may be sent under this plan.

Boston College Plans To Build

Boston College alumni and students of Greater Lawrence will meet on Tuesday evening, November 4, at 6:30 at the Knights of Columbus home in Lawrence for their annual November dinner and meeting.

The most important matter on the agenda will be a report of plans concerning the building fund campaign for the new business school already under construction on the Boston College campus.

This marks only the second time in nearly eighty years that an appeal has been made to the people of Greater Boston for assistance in erecting a new building. The goal of the drive for the new School of Business Administration's building has been set at \$600,000.

Boston College alumni and students in the Greater Lawrence area are now soliciting donations from friends of Boston College in this section.

Brownie Troops Hold Party

Brownie Troops 40 and 41 held a Hallowe'en party on Thursday afternoon at the Jackson school. Last week half of Brownie Troop 41 attended a movie at the library, and the remainder had a story-bok hour. Troop 41 went to Foster's Pond on a nature hike.

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West Parish Notes...

West Parish Holds \$20,000 Dinner

A dinner inaugurating the campaign to raise \$20,000 to improve and enlarge the vestry building of the West Parish church, and also to raise the regular church budget for the year 1948, will be served next Thursday evening, November 6, at 6:30 o'clock in the vestry. Mrs. Sidney Batchelder, chairman of the supper committee, will have as her assistants, Mrs. John Fielding, Mrs. Richard Williams, Mrs. Arthur Lewis, Mrs. Dorothy Peatman, Mrs. Helen Dow, and Mrs. Helen Northey. Mrs. Karl Haartz and Mrs. Fred Doyle will be hostesses for the occasion. Miss Louise Kelsey (tel. 1888) is in charge of reservations, which are rapidly being filled. No solicitation of funds or pledges will be made at the dinner, although an offering will be taken to defray the expenses of the meal.

The Rev. Clinton W. Carvell, pastor of the Trinitarian Congregational church of North Andover, will bring a message of inspiration. Mr. Willis, the architect, of the firm of Collens, Willis, and Beckonert of Boston, will also be a guest. Mr. Arthur Lewis will be toastmaster.

The final list of representatives has been announced. It includes the following men, who are team captains: Messrs. Sherman Boutwell, Herbert Carter, Robert Marland, Arthur Lewis, Lathrop Merrick, Norman Morgan, Clayton Northey, Arthur Peatman, Leverett Putnam, Grant Silva, and Horace Thomas.

Lieutenants are: William Arnold, Louis Broughton, John Duguid, Karl Haartz, Warren Louis, William Barron, Jr., Albert Heinz, Fred Ortstein, Arthur Morley, Vincent Brown, Irving Piper, Earl Slate, George Winslow, Elmer Peterson, Dean Hudgins, Halbert Dow, Foster Robertson, Ejner Blomquist, Phillip Thomes, Earl Young, and Carl Stevens.

RECEIVES DIPLOMA

Miss Eileen Tisbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Tisbert of Chandler road, received her diploma from the Nurses' School of the New England Hospital for Women and Children at exercises held recently at the First Church of Boston. A reception was held in the church vestry following the exercises.

LAFALOT CLUB

The November meeting of the Lafalot Club will be held next Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Arthur Lewis, 183 Lowell street.

WOMAN'S UNION

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Union of the West church will be held next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 in the vestry. Mrs. John Duguid will preside. The speaker of the afternoon will be Mrs. Marion Parker Wyse of Managua, Nicaragua, who is on a furlough in this country at the present time. Tea will be served. Friends are asked to come and enjoy the fellowship.

Locals

Miss Constance Dow, who is a student at Colby Junior College, New London, N. H., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Halbert Dow of Beacon street. She had as her guest, Miss Betty Harris of East Orange, N. J., who is also a student at the school.

Mrs. Edward Kreiger of High Plain road, Mrs. Clyde Fore of Reservation road, and Mrs. Halbert Dow of Beacon street spent several days recently with Mrs. William Stewart of Waterville, Maine.

Mr. Warren A. Lewis has recently successfully passed his courses of study at Harvard College and been awarded his Bachelor of Arts degree. He is now working with the Boston Fiduciary and Research Associates in Boston. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Lewis of Lowell street.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell Abbott are attending the Massachusetts State Grange meeting being held in Worcester during this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lewis visited with relatives in Saugus on Sunday.

Mrs. Russell Foster and daughter Evelyn spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall of Chicopee Falls, Massachusetts.

Mr. Eben Gibson, son of Mrs. Mary Gibson of Shawsheen road, is enrolled in the "House of the Theatre" School in The Bronx, New York.

Mrs. John Rasmussen of Lowell street is enjoying an extended vacation with relatives in New York City and New Jersey.

Mrs. Medwin Matthews of Long Island, N. Y., is visiting at the family home on Lincoln street. She was called home by the serious illness of her mother.

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Well Known Columnist Addresses Y's Men

Bill Cunningham, well-known sports writer and columnist, chased his subject, "Europe's Recovery to Peace," all around Robin Hood's barn Wednesday night, when he spoke under the sponsorship of the Y's Men's Club of Lawrence in Memorial Auditorium.

Alfred Lombard, president of the club, introduced Cunningham, who has returned recently from an extensive trip through Europe. The famous sports writer, who has turned his hand to any subject in recent years, interspersed a humorous autobiographical account of his experiences as a student and newspaper writer with impressions he brought back from a struggling Europe.

In the speaker's opinion, the Russians are not in the least to be feared, even the top-notchers, and he cited the case of the United Nations, where he says the Russians

fear to make any decision. He described the English reaction to their present socialistic government as favorable, and ascribed this attitude to better food distribution.

He made the comment, however, that though he had to watch his weight in the states, eating two meals a day, in England he lost 12 pounds in two months, eating six meals a day, and was always hungry. He ascribed this to the starchy diet on which the Englishman subsists.

In the lively question period which followed his lecture, Mr. Cunningham advised against believing most of the things read in the newspapers, and called headlines a means of salesmanship, which varied according to the publisher. He ended his talk with the voicing of his feeling that our course was to be strong and share our strength with others.

Verse-Speaking Choir For Community Day

Under the auspices of the Andover United Council of Church Women, World Community Day will be observed on November 7 at 3:00 p. m. in the Baptist church vestry, with Mrs. John Gaskill of the West Parish in charge of the worship service. A program on UNESCO (United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization) will follow, led by Mrs. C. Edward Buchan.

An interesting feature of the program will be a verse-speaking choir under the direction of Mrs. Thaxter Eaton.

The following girls are members of the choir: Nancy Adams, Sally Bassett, Barbara Folley, Mary E. Green, Roberta Johnson, Dorothea Keatin, Margaret MacLachlan, Judith Marland, Anne McFarlane, Doris Nicoll, Shirley Nicoll, Anne Sanborn, Arianna Shaw, Laura Thompson, and Jane Young.

Garden Club Notes

The regular monthly meeting of the Andover Garden Club will be held at the Andover Inn Tuesday, November 4, at 10 a. m. The speaker will be Mr. Stephen F. Hamblin of the Lexington Botanic Gardens and Professor of Harvard University, having as his subject, "Putting the Garden to Bed." The hospitality committee, Mrs. Dean K. Webster, Jr., chairman, will serve morning coffee at 10 o'clock.

VETERANS SEEK SATISFACTION

The group of veterans who drew the house lots at the junction of Burnham road and High street last summer appeared before the Board of Selectmen and the Board of Public Works jointly, at a meeting in the town house on Monday night. Senator Philip K. Allen appeared with the veterans, who were seeking information about the levelling off of their lots by the town bulldozer as promised.

Rocks on the land have made it impossible to use the bulldozer without the protection of a steel plate, which was ordered last June, and which a week ago was on the loading platform ready for shipment here, according to Chairman Sidney White of the Board of Public Works. As soon as this piece of equipment arrives, then the work will be done, it was promised.

Only two of the eleven veterans who drew the lots are prepared to build at this time.

Food and Clothing Not Needed in Maine

The generous impulse to aid neighbors in distress has erroneously led many people to begin drives for used clothing and food to be sent to the Maine fire victims, according to a telegram received this week by Roy Hardy, chairman of the local chapter, from Red Cross headquarters in New York.

There is no need, according to the telegram, for either food or used clothing, and the local chapter is advised not to ship any such items. Anyone needing assistance in this area should contact the Andover chapter of the Red Cross.

P. T. A. Speaker

Milton Nelson, principal of the Junior High School, will be the speaker on Thursday evening, November 6, at the Ballardvale Parent-Teacher Association meeting in the Bradlee school.

Red Cross Feeds Weary Fire Fighters

The canteen and the disaster committee of the local Red Cross swung into action last week on two fronts when Andover, in common with a great many other towns and cities in New England, fighting against an unparalleled epidemic of forest fires, was threatened on many fronts.

The worst of the local fires were centered in North Reading and Wilmington, and along Ballardvale street in Ballardvale and North Wilmington, where state guardsmen, firemen from Andover and neighboring towns, and numerous volunteers fought the flames.

On Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Charles D. McDuffie, chairman of the Red Cross canteen, obtained the use of the South church kitchen, and with her committee, Mrs. John Erving, Madeline Hewes and Mrs. John P. Connors, prepared sandwiches and coffee.

Three trips were made in the Red Cross beach wagon, driven by Mrs. John P. Connors, accompanied by Mrs. Otto Eschholz and Mrs. John Erving, taking the provisions to the exhausted fire-fighters. When the sandwiches ran out, doughnuts were substituted.

Other workers were William S. Hughes, disaster committee chairman, C. Carleton Kimball, and Mrs. Leon Field, a member of the Red Cross motor corps.

Special mention goes to Stafford Lindsay, vice-chairman of the disaster committee, who commanded his own family and their friends into service on Thursday, making repeated trips well into the night, supplying coffee and doughnuts in the Ballardvale area; and again on Saturday, when he and his crew delivered supplies to the men fighting the fire in the section back of Foster's Pond. Lindsay was accompanied by his son, Richard, his two daughters, Barbara and Jane, as well as Barbara's fiancé, Donald A. Boynton, and a friend of Jane's, George MacKellar of Medford.

Mr. Hughes reports that sandwiches and coffee, generously donated by the Andover Inn, were served at the fire station to men returning from fire duty.

HALLOWE'EN PRECAUTIONS

Chief Dane of the police department joins forces with Chief Edward Buchan of the fire department in asking co-operation from all citizens, adults as well as children, in observance of Hallowe'en.

Although recent rains have minimized the fire hazard, the fire department chief asks that no outside fires or open flames be used, such as candles, and the police department chief requests consideration of other people's property.

Will Talk on Disney

Mr. Robert D. Feild, intimate friend of Mickey Mouse and author of the book, "The Art of Walt Disney," will give an illustrated talk on this topic Sunday afternoon, Nov. 2, at 3:30 p. m., in George Washington Hall, Phillips Academy.

There will be no admission fee to the lecture.

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"Seed Time and Harvest"

The flower show entitled "Seed Time and Harvest," arranged by Mrs. Henry F. Perkins, Walnut avenue, and Mrs. James G. Fenton, Olive street, Methuen, and held at the home of Mrs. Perkins last Saturday, attracted a large and enthusiastic audience, with artistic arrangements literally everywhere, from the pumpkins on the doorstep to the last lovely container in the upper bedrooms.

The catalogue of the show, which opened at two o'clock and went on into dusk, when the arrangements were enhanced by candlelight, listed the various exhibits under a poetic motif. Some of the outstanding themes and the line of poetry from which they sprang, were: "The flowers will bloom another year"—Keats, typified by a massive grouping of bronze chrysanthemums; "A lover watched his graceful maid"—Em-

erson, two quaint Victorian figurines with lavender chrysanthemums.

Another was taken from Poe's line, "The leaves, they were crisped and sere," portrayed by a grouping of onions and tulip pods against dried leaves; still another had as its inspiration the line from Genesis, "The serpent beguiled me and I did eat," which pictured a sweeping apple tree branch to which apples had been secured, above a piece of dried curling wood, which typified the serpent, and, climax of the piece, a large red apple with one bite out of it.

"Here's to the oak, the brave old oak," by Chorley, was represented by an arrangement of oak leaves in an earthenware crock.

Mrs. Perkins and Mrs. Fenton are members of the Lawrence Garden Club, and have been the recipients of many awards at recent flower shows.

V. F. W. Auxiliary Notes

The Andover Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary members are planning to attend the Fall conference on Sunday, November 2, at the Parker House in Boston.

President Mrs. James MacCord has tickets for the annual Armistice banquet which the post is sponsoring on Monday, November 10. Get your tickets now, for they are going fast.

The weekly whist party will be held in the post rooms, Musgrove building, on Monday, November 3.

A Thanksgiving whist is being planned, and date will be announced later.

November 9, the local auxiliary will entertain the Essex County District Auxiliary. All members are asked to attend this meeting. Refreshments will be served.

Births

A daughter October 21 at the Mary Hitchcock hospital, Hanover, N. H., to Mr. and Mrs. Warren H. Kaye of Strafford, Vt. The mother is the former Mary Deyermond of Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Irving Newman, 15 Dudley street, Haverhill, formerly of Andover, are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter, Barbara Elizabeth, born Monday at the Lawrence General hospital.

Disabled Veterans Form New Post

At a meeting of the newly formed Disabled American Veterans post Tuesday night, the following members were elected officers for the coming year: Commander, Joseph K. Payne; senior vice-commander, Joseph A. Horan; junior vice-commander, William D. Barrow; adjutant, David MacDonald; service officer, Bernard F. Bingham; chaplain, Lionel W. Boulanger; and chairman of the executive board, Joseph E. Bonin.

CATHOLIC MEN'S CLUB TO MEET MONDAY

The Catholic Men's Club will meet on Monday evening in St. Augustine's School Hall to hear Herbert Dwight McConnell, who will speak on the subject, "Catholic Culture in New England."

Father Thomas Fogarty and Father Henry B. Smith have been chosen to represent the Catholic Men's Club on Monday evening when the Andover Service Club will entertain the Governor of Vermont. The Service Club has issued an invitation to various local organizations to send delegates to the dinner meeting, which will be held at the Andover Inn at 6:30.

The date of the annual dinner dance, which had been scheduled for December 10, has been changed to January 14, it was announced by the president, Victor Mill, this week. The dance, to which members are invited to bring their wives, will also feature installation of officers.

HALLOWE'EN ILLUMINATION

The Opera Garden on Porter road is featuring a Halloween illumination each evening from six to ten o'clock which began Saturday, Oct. 25. The public is invited, there being no admission charge. Visitors may drive in, and view the scene or may park on the grounds if they wish to get out.

The Garden will not be open during the day or on stormy nights. The exhibit will run through November 2.

The illumination, which already has had scores of local and out-of-town visitors, is sponsored by the directors of the Opera Garden, which so successfully staged three performances this past summer of "The Pirates of Penzance."

OUR COVER

Dickory Collins hasn't missed a day in 25 years, as janitor of the High School, and head janitor in the Public schools, so a lot of folks turned out in his honor at a testimonial in the school cafeteria.

Donald Look didn't catch the jovial look that's usually found on the Collins' countenance.

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Assembly

Our assembly last Friday was given by Miss Stevens' homeroom, room five. It was a short one-act play called "The Devil Stone," especially suited for the time near Hallowe'en. The plot concerns an emerald sent to Josie (Betty Christie) by her uncle. There was a curse on this stone, which very much frightened Hattie, the maid, played by Frances Ratyna. Ellen, Josie's friend, played by Betty Sunderland, investigated and was thoroughly frightened. The idol of the stone (Donald Valz) came and told them they must give it up. Elwin (Frank Lewis) and Jim (James Baily) search for the ghost and get in on the joke. It all turns out right when Terry, the idol to you, as Donald Valz, gets caught and tells them it was all a joke.

Dramatic Club

The Dramatic Club held its weekly meeting on Tuesday, at which time four members presented a short one-act play entitled, "The Unburied Woman." Characters were: Mrs. Goround, Felice Pomerleau; Mrs. Pokeabout, Lucille Spinella; Mrs. Talkit, Ann Merchant; and the man who caused all the excitement, Mr. Bright, Frances Dunlavy. Following the play, Catherine Anderson, Ruth Belka, and Lois

Craig presented a pantomime which was very well done. Then Lucille Sherry recited, "In Flanders Field," and Ruth Morgan recited the poem, "Jack Frost."

Office Secretaries

Mrs. Walker, Secretary to the Principal, is very much pleased with the student secretaries who are being trained by her this year in office procedure. Many of these student secretaries are new, and all are very much interested in their work.

They are showing themselves to be most responsible persons. They are clearly learning one very important part of office work, namely, all office matters are confidential and should never be spoken of on the outside.

Girls' Intramural Soccer

The Winged Sandals, Judy Maddock, captain, won the last soccer game for the girls. The team standings are: Lightnings, two wins; Winged Sandals, one win. The Lightnings are one game ahead.

Boys' Varsity Football

The thrilling game played in Shawsheen with Sacred Heart ended up with a 12-6 score in Andover Junior High's favor. Both touchdowns were made by our fast wingback and captain, Cliff Lawrence. The backs played very well, with Fraser, Wennik, Wilson, and Lawrence outstanding throughout the game.

Boosters' Day!

For an afternoon packed with thrilling entertainment, come to the playstead in Andover to see the Andover Junior High Midgets play the Sacred Heart Juniors for the first game. For the second and main event of the afternoon, the Andover Junior High eleven will play against a strong Methuen Central squad. The Girls' Band and cheerleaders will be on hand to entertain you. Refreshments will be on sale. We urge all of you to come. Donations will be accepted for new jerseys and equipment for our team. Remember! November 8, Saturday, at 1:45 p. m.! Save the date! Come one! Come all! Help us equip our team!

Boys' Tag Football

Members of the teams are as follows:

Golds: Van Coppenole, Garabedian, Sarkisian, Wilson, A. Markert, Svenson, Tisbert, P. Williams, R., Parker, Gale, Emerick, Wennik, Barous, R., Murray, Kearn, Emmert, Goff.

Blues: Morrocco, Tisbert, L., Asonian, Hinckley, Bob, Higgins, Mooney, Lawrence, Hatch, Brucato, De Salvo, Dolan, Dodge, Bourdelais, R., Buckley, Bourdelais, H.

Greens: Morgan, Joe, Duke, Dodge, E., Lewis, Hatton, McCafferty, Nolan, Wood, Gerrish, Fredrickson, R., Ross, Nicoll, Morgan, Jack.

Reds: Reed, Hathaway, Graves, Wright, White, J., Cormey, Lloyd, Valz, Koza, Gervais, Sharpe, Doyle.

The team standings:

Golds 5 points
 Blues 3 points
 Greens 2 points
 Reds 1 point

Hobby Club

The Hobby Club meets in Room One on Tuesday mornings with Miss Stimpson as the sponsor. Members of the club are interested in collecting different things, such as match book covers, old coins, stamps, paper money, knick-knacks, souvenirs, pictures of animals, etc. Peter Doucot of the seventh grade likes to make little airplanes and to work on photography. Other members of the club are Roland Rainville, Frederick Rugg, Pierce Bullen, Jack Hill, Carolyn Ward, Douglas Hardy, and David Martin.

Visit Lawrence Tribune

The personnel of the Practical Arts Department believes that field trips to plants in and about Andover are a great asset to the students. Therefore, during the past two weeks, Mr. Owen Hinckley, instructor in shop, took the four divisions of the eighth grade to Lawrence to see how a daily newspaper is composed and printed and made ready for the public. First, they went in to see how the teletype machines worked and brought news from all parts of the world. Next they visited the "morgue," the room in which all pictures and cuts used by the Lawrence Eagle-Tribune are kept. Following this, they visited the composing room, where they saw the Linotype machines, and last of all, they saw the papers being printed, cut and folded, then piled up, ready for distribution. Since printing is being taught in the eighth grade, the important thing was that they were seeing printing in action.

Mr. Rogers of the Eagle-Tribune was very happy, indeed, to have these boys visit his plant. Arrangements were made by both Mr. Milton Nelson, principal of the Junior High School, and Mr. Hinckley. Cars for the trip were very generously donated and driven by Mrs. Stanley Parker, Mrs. Harrison Brown, Mrs. Edwin Bramley, Mrs. Justin Curry, and Mr. Owen Hinckley.

Hallowe'en Decorations

Girls in the seventh grade cooking classes have been preparing Hallowe'en table decorations for use in the home and organizations, for parties. The classes have also been making pop-corn balls, the odors of which have been wafting throughout the building, making us all very hungry for them.

Merrimack College Has First Dance

The students of Merrimack College are planning an informal Hallowe'en dance to be held Friday evening, October 31, at the college. This will be the initial social event of the new school.

Refreshments will be served. The college rooms to be used will be decorated according to Hallowe'en tradition.

The following students are members of the committee for this affair: Albert Boulanger, Haverhill; Dan Breen, Methuen; Joe Caffrey, Lawrence; Larry Fox, Lawrence; Maurice Mitchell, Eastport, Maine; Tom Murray, Malden; Frank Petty, Lowell; Ed Regan, Haverhill; and Bill Riley, Haverhill.

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SHAWSHEEN NEWS

Family Wedding Is Held

A real family wedding was held on September 3, at St. Augustine's Church, when Miss Jane Preston West, daughter of Mr. Miles West of Chestnut street, became the bride of James William Burke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael A. Burke, north Main street.

The marriage ceremony was performed by the Reverend Garrett J. Burke, an uncle of the groom, and the wedding party consisted of a bridesmaid, Mrs. A. Rita Lee, sister of the groom; the flower girl, Pamela Ann Lee, a niece of the groom; William West, the best man, brother of the bride; and John J. Burke, a brother of the groom, and Robert Costello of Boston, were ushers.

The couple went through the Grammar schools and Pynchard High School together. The bride was a graduate nurse at the Lawrence General Hospital, and the groom served in the Marine Corps for four years after graduation from Pynchard. Following his release from the service, Mr. Burke took a refresher course at Tilton Academy, and is now enrolled at Marietta College in Marietta, Ohio, where the couple are now living after a honeymoon trip through the Berkshires.

P. T. A. Observes Fathers' Night

American Education Week, Nov. 9-15, will be observed by the Shawsheen Parent Teacher Association at its regular November meeting on Wednesday, November 12, at the Shawsheen School hall. The meeting will be opened by the president, Mrs. Phillip A. Costello, who will then turn the gavel over to her husband in honor of Fathers' Night.

Fathers only are allowed to take active part in the business meeting, and on the roll call of rooms, fathers will count double. Austin J. O'Toole has charge of the program, which will feature Professor Alston Chase of Phillips Academy, who will speak on the subject: "Romance and Realism in Modern Education."

Refreshments will be prepared by the fifth grade mothers and served by the fifth grade fathers. All of the school rooms will be open for a half hour preceding the meeting and the parents are urged to consult with the teachers in fostering a better home-school relationship.

Little Sicily

Two children who find the world a wonderful place nowadays are Louis Rossignolo, 10 years old, and his sister, Teresa, 8 years old, enrolled in the first grade at the Shawsheen school under the patient Miss Anderson, who has the task of not only teaching these foreign children to read, but also to speak, English.

The Rossignolos came to America

with their mother in June, and are now living with their mother's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Romano, 32 Franklin avenue. Their father was killed in action during the war, and their home in Valguarnera, Sicily, in the province of Enna, was levelled in bombing raids.

Louis had attended school for two years in his own country, but Teresa is making her first attack on the three R's.

Hallowe'en Party

The pupils of the Shawsheen school had their first taste of Hallowe'en on Friday morning when the children of the fifth grade, under the direction of Miss Thurston, entertained the school body in the hall at a special Hallowe'en assembly.

Recitations, songs, and dances featuring goblins, witches and bats were the order of the day. The kindergarten group under the supervision of Mrs. Savage, dressed up in appropriate costumes, and visited the first grade.

Piano Recital in Shawsheen

Ruth C. Kefferstand, well-known local teacher of piano, presented her annual recital on Wednesday evening in the Shawsheen School hall. A capacity audience enjoyed the musical skill of a number of local layers.

Floral arrangements for the presentation were under the supervision of Miss Margaret Dick. She was assisted by Mrs. Robert Kefferstand, Mrs. Richard Anderson and Miss Dorothy Teichmann. The ushers were: Dr. Robert Kefferstand, Dr. Richard Anderson, Stanley Zigoriski, Edward Lawson and Dr. Frank Kefferstand.

The program for the evening was as follows:

Salty Sam, The Sailer	Koehler
Joel Erler	
Voice of Spring	O'Neil
Mary Ann Faggiano	
Dainty Lady	Eckstein
Rosemary Rapa	
March	Grey
Mary Therese Piazza	
L'Avalanche	Heller
Katherine Humber, No. Andover	
To Spring	Grieg
Mary Alice Shea	
At Evening	Wright
Joel Erler — James Noble	
Lawrence	
Serenade	Toselli
Theme from Concerto No. 1	
Tschaikowski	
Robert Blomquist	
Robert Vaughan	
The Rose Garden	Bilbro
Minuet in G	Paderewski
Katherine Humber, No. Andover	
Virginia Cavallaro, Lawrence	
March	Engelmann
D. Lloyd, J. Noble, R. Giose,	
R. Blomquist, R. Vaughan	
Lawrence	
Sicillenne	Bach
Al Fresco	Herbert
Robert Vaughan, Robert Gioseffi	
Liebesleid (Love's Sorrow)	
Kreisler	
Liebesfreud (Love's Joy)	Kreisler
Mary Alice Shea, Robert Devine	
Lawrence	
Hungarian Polka	Anfoldy
M. A. Shea—D. Lloyd	
P. Raya—R. Devine	
Lawrence	

Central Parent-Teacher Membership Drive Success

The Andover Central Parent-Teacher Association's membership drive has come to a close with an enrollment of 790 members and more promises, showing a 42% gain over last year. The winning classrooms received a prize of \$3.

Senior High — Whole school, 24% joined. Winner, Mr. Mervin Stevens' class, 37%; Mrs. Kneeland, room mother. Second, Mr. Bernard Kellmurray's class, 35%; Mrs. Carl Wetterberg, room mother.

Junior High — Whole school, 65%. Winner, Miss Ansi Angelo's room, 95%; Mrs. Edwin Bramley, room mother. Second, Miss Mary Donahue's room, 82%; Mrs. Edward O'Connor, room mother. A prize was given this room as well as the winner, because every student had one parent join, combined with the fact it came in second with the high rating of 82%.

Stowe School — Whole school, 67%. Winner, Miss Alice Stack's fourth grade, 89%; Mrs. Geoffrey Glendinning, room mother. Second, Miss Catherine Barrett's fifth grade, 76%; Mrs. Glen Grant, room mother.

Jackson School — Whole school, 90%. Winner, Mrs. Betty Hird Richardson's third grade, 96%; Mrs. Joseph Staples, room mother. Second, Mrs. Adeline Wright's first grade, 93%; Mrs. James Hart, room mother. This room was followed closely by Miss Margaret Bascom's second grade, 92%.

Kindergarten — Whole kindergarten, 92%. Morning class, Miss Louise Sherman, 100%; Mrs. Paul Simeone, room mother. Afternoon class, Miss Louise Sherman, 92%; Mrs. Winthrop Newcomb, room mother.

Contra Dances	Beethoven
M. A. Shea—M. Buco	
P. Raya—R. Devine	
Lawrence	
Grande Valse de Concert	Holst
Juba Dance	Dett
M. Elizabeth Noble	
Marion Buco	
Arrival of the Queen of Sheba	
Handel	
Czardas	Monti
Bolero	Moszkowski
Janet Fieldhouse	
Martha Ann Fieldhouse	
Polonaise Militaire	Chopin
M. Buco — M. A. Shea	
J. Fieldhouse—M. A. Fieldhouse	
P. Rapa—M. E. Noble	
Trepak	Tschaikowski
Malaguena	Lecuona
Joan O'Donnell—Barbara Hill	
Scherzo, B flat Minor	Chopin
Claire Fleischmann—Guest	
Lawrence	
Overture to The Marriage	
of Figaro	Mozart
Brazileira (Sambo)	
from Scaramouche	Milhaud
Barbara Hill	
Claire Fleischmann	
Lawrence	

Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Kyburg, recently of 289 North Main street, are now making their home in York, Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. David C. Perkins, formerly residents on the Wood Estate on North Main street, are now living on Oak street in Belmont.

Abbot Academy Notes

The program for the coming week-end at Abbot Academy includes a lecture on astronomy by Professor Karl Bok of Harvard. Dr. Bok will speak in Davis Hall at 8:00 p. m. The lecture is open to the public without charge. The address will be accompanied by illustrative slides. On Sunday evening, Dr. Claude M. Fuess, headmaster of Phillips Academy, will be the vesper service speaker.

The school has reorganized the service groups along the same lines as those carried out in war years. The organization is under the direction of the World Student Service Fund and the Abbot Christian Association. Work is being done for both home and foreign service. Groups are sewing, knitting, making gifts for future sale, and there are crafts groups learning to make objects which will be offered at the annual Abbot Birthday Bazaar, the proceeds of which gala occasion go largely to the WSSF. Another group is studying world affairs, with particular reference to the work of UN, and in a later convocation this group will be heard in discussion before the whole student body. Home service consists mainly of the contribution of dolls and toys sent annually to the Hindman settlement in Kentucky. The settlement is directed by a former Abbot student, and has been aided by the students at Abbot for many years as a traditional project.

The collection for the Community Fund is under the direction of Miss Barbara Humes. It is a total canvass of the faculty and staff of the school, and good response has been reported at this time.

Abbot won two places in the regional hockey trials at Beaver Country Day School last week: Miss Ann Dartt of Glen Head, L.I., and Miss Joanna West of Chapqua, N. Y.

Country dancing as a feature on free evenings during the week-ends got off to a successful start last Saturday night.

Tuesday Club Entertains Tenth District Presidents

On Tuesday afternoon, the Tuesday Club entertained the Presidents of the Tenth District of the Massachusetts Federation of Women's Clubs at the home of Mrs. Henry A. Bodwell. Mrs. Frank L. Brigham talked about shawls and showed some interesting ones from her collection. Refreshments were served by the tea committee.

Bazaar Plans

Vincent Treanor is chairman of the large prize committee which is handling the prizes for the annual charity bazaar sponsored by St. Augustine's parish, to be held on December 4, 5, and 6. At a committee meeting on Tuesday night, additional plans were made for making the affair a big success. Books are already out and sales high on the chances for the many valuable prizes to be offered.

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Colorful Wedding Largely Attended

One of the most colorful of the fall weddings at 5 o'clock Saturday, St. Augustine's, Miriam Sweeney, late Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney, 12, supervisor of the schools, became Mc Ardle, son of Ardle and the Lowell.

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The bride was by her cousin High street.

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Colorful Wedding Largely Attended

One of the most beautiful weddings of the fall season took place at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon in St. Augustine's church when Miss Miriam Sweeney, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dennis F. Sweeney, 12 Central street, and supervisor of music in the public schools, became the bride of Frank McArdle, son of Mrs. Frank McArdle and the late Mr. McArdle of Lowell.

Preceding the ceremony, which found the church well-filled, a number of appropriate violin selections were played by Mrs. Hazel Hadfield, local musician, and during the service Teresa Mahoney Donnelly sang.

The bride was given in marriage by her cousin, David Murphy of High street.

Miss Edith Dorothea Sweeney of New York City, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were Mrs. Gertrude Fuller Tambling of Rye Beach, N. H., Mrs. Harry Claremont Harrison of Haverhill, Miss Margaret Carroll of Manchester-by-the-Sea and Worcester, Miss Ann Donohue of Lawrence, Mrs. Claire Caning of Boston and Miss Carmen Meehan of Lowell.

James Heron of Boston served as best man and the following formed the corps of ushers: Professor James J. O'Brien of Fordham university, New York City, Robert B. Holmes of Milton, Atty. John Harvey of Lowell, Charles

Edlund of the faculty of Lowell Textile Institute, James E. Healy, press secretary to Governor Bradford and Atty. David A. Canning of Boston.

The bride wore a stunning gown of candlelight satin fashioned drop shoulder style with a collar of folds of satin edged with pearls and a fitted bodice terminating in a long cathedral train. Her full length three tiered veil of English Illusion was attached to a coronet of imported antique heirloom lace and orange blossoms. Her bouquet was of gardenias with an orchid center.

The attendants wore aqua velvet gowns with headpieces of matching shirred velvet. The bridesmaids carried bouquets of Briar-cliff roses and the maid of honor carried a cascade of orchids.

A reception at the Andover Country Club followed the ceremony where a buffet supper was served and a punch bowl added to the refreshments. Over 300 guests attended the affair.

The bride is a graduate of Abbot academy and of Lowell State Teacher college, and attended Columbia university and Boston University College of Music. Mr. McArdle is a graduate of Garrett Park, Maryland and Georgetown University, Washington, D. C. He is an advertising executive in Boston.

After a wedding trip to Washington, D. C., and Williamsburg, Va., the couple will be at home at 22 Central street.

Marriage Certificates

Marriage certificates for the following have been filed at the town clerk's office:

Elizabeth Agnes Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Morgan, Prospect road, and John Woodrow Crowley, son of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Crowley, 37 Elm street, married at St. Augustine's church on October 22, with Reverend Henry B. Smith officiating.

Marie C. Gallant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Gallant, Old County road, and Victor T. Shorten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Shorten, 10 Elm court, married at St. Augustine's church on October 25, Father M. F. McDonald, O. S. A., officiating.

Barbara A. Porter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel C. Porter, 5 Highland avenue, and Charles L. Hanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Hanson, 4 Chapman avenue, married in Christ church on October 26, with Reverend John S. Moses officiating.

Marriage Intentions

The following have listed intentions of marriage at the town clerk's office:

Ernest Joseph Couture, Jr., Lowell street, and Hildegard Palubitzki, Lowell street.

Robert Charles Connolly, 24 Cuba street, and Eleanor Elizabeth Gaudet, 136 Main street.

52 Years' Service

William H. Faulkner of Pasho street, finishing a 52-year stretch of service with the Marland mill, was given a testimonial at the Andover Inn by the overseers and office force on Wednesday evening. Mr. Faulkner retires this week.

He came to the Marland mill as a dresser, and has served as assistant superintendent for the past 45 years.

Raymond W. Brickett presented the guest of honor with a table radio, a gift of his co-workers.

Abbot Stevens, president of the M. T. Stevens & Sons company, presented him with a silver platter from the firm in recognition of his long and faithful service.

Among those present were: Miss Annie Buchan, who retired a year ago after serving fifty years as bookkeeper at the mill, Overseers Alexander Winward, Owen Staples, Walter S. Downs, William Orr, William Taylor, Robert Souter, Fred Tapley, Alexander Brown, Raymond Brickett; Superintendent Joseph W. Higginson, President Abbot Stevens and members of the office staff: Miss Gladys Gill, Miss Doris Hilton, Miss Annie Lindsay, Miss Helen Murray, Donald Button, and David Markert.

Chrysanthemums Feature Autumn Flower Show

Several Andover women plan to enter the 118th annual Autumn Flower Show of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society to be held at Horticultural Hall, Boston, November 6, 7, 8, and 9. This year, the show is of national importance, for the Society is joined by the Chrysanthemum Society of America, which is holding its 46th annual show as part of the Society's spectacle.

Chrysanthemums — those great shaggy heads of white, yellow, purple and bronze, big enough to fill a bushel basket — are, of course, the feature of the show — for Autumn is the time for this imperial flower. Together with them will be a host of various other types of 'mums — tiny ones the size of a dime, anemone-like beauties, intermediates, neither large nor small, and others curiously twisted and shaped so that they have been named according to variety, spoons and spiders. Still other 'mums have been grown like bushes and trees instead of just plants, while yet others are like vines, and so earn the name of cascades.

The main chrysanthemum displays will form three great gardens, while the others will be grouped into smaller exhibitions, either on tables or on the floor. Orchids will join the 'mums to add the jungle flavor of the exotic, while from Holland will be gay groups of Winter-flowering begonias. Carnations, New England's favorite cut flowers, will be on parade, too — as will be evergreens, berried shrubs and plants, gourds and herbs. A very popular feature will be a hall given over to Christmas decorations.

The displays of the American Chrysanthemum Society will present, in addition to the most exquisite flowers from all the nation, new flowers shown in public for the first time. Arno H. Nehrling, exhibition manager, is in charge of the show.

League Bazaar

The committees working on the Union Congregational church service league Autumn bazaar, to be held in the church vestry Wednesday, November 5, from 2 to 5 p. m. will meet in the church vestry at 7 p. m. on Tuesday to decorate the tables.

The league has a large and active group working on this affair, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Leslie L. Hadley. Friends and members of the church are invited to participate.

Contributions for the missionary box, to be packed at the November 7 meeting in the Andover Baptist church, should be left at the home of the missionary box chairman, Mrs. Samuel Scholtz, Ballardvale road.

The Congregational Men's Club will meet the first Wednesday evening in November in the vestry.

Boy Scout Troop 76 will attend a Hallowe'en party in Boxford on October 31.

Miss Helen Wright, 5 Bartlett street, engaged to Edward Albee of Lynn, was honored at a surprise shower recently at the home of Miss Isabelle Townsley, 16 Essex street.

Obituary...

MRS. FRED McCOLLUM

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret (Lowry) McCollum, wife of Fred McCollum, 22 Lincoln street, who died Sunday, was held from the Lundgren funeral home Wednesday with services at 2:30 p. m. by Rev. John S. Moses, rector of Christ Episcopal church. Burial was in West Parish cemetery.

The deceased was born in Ireland and resided in Andover 32 years. She was a member of Christ Episcopal church.

Surviving, besides her husband, are a daughter, Pearl M., wife of Medwin Matthews of Richmond Hill, N. Y.; a son, George L. of Santa Ana, Calif.; four grandchildren; five sisters, Miss Elizabeth Lowry, Mrs. Charles Neale, Mrs. Walter Neale, and Mrs. Angus MacNab, all of Jamaica Plain, and Mrs. William Benway of Richmond, Vt.; and a brother, David Lowry of Jamaica Plain.

Teachers Hold Hallowe'en Party

A gala Hallowe'en party was held by the Andover Teachers' Association on Wednesday night at Fieldstones, complete with dinner and entertainment. The elementary school teachers were in charge of the affair, under the chairmanship of Miss Olive Eldridge.

The teachers were entertained during the evening by Mr. Cheney, a magician.

Armistice Day Dance

The Young Men's Club of St. Augustine's parish will hold an Armistice Day dance on Monday evening, November 10, at St. Augustine's School Hall. Music will be provided by Harold Phinney. High school students and veterans of World War II are invited to attend. Tickets will go on sale Friday, October 31.

The members of the committee are Theodore Boudreau, William Collins, and Richard McAtamney.

Mr. and Mrs. Halbert Dow of 8 Beacon street, visited Colby Junior College, in New London, N. H., where their daughter, Constance is a student, during Parents' Weekend, Oct. 10-13.

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Legal Notices

TOWN OF ANDOVER



PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Survey of the Town of Andover will hold a hearing on Friday evening, October 31, 1947 at 7:30 P. M. at the Town Hall on the petition of Clyde M. Goldthwaite and others for the approval of a plan for purpose of opening for public use a proposed way as shown thereon.

BOARD OF SURVEY
EDWARD R. LAWSON, Clerk
(24-31)

TOWN OF ANDOVER



PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Survey of the Town of Andover will hold a hearing on Friday evening, October 31, 1947 at 7:30 P. M. at the Town Hall on the petition of M. I. Stone and others for the approval of a plan for purpose of opening for public use a proposed way as shown thereon.

BOARD OF SURVEY
EDWARD R. LAWSON, Clerk
(24-31)

TOWN OF ANDOVER



PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Survey of the Town of Andover will hold a public hearing on Thursday evening, November 6th, 1947, at 7:30 P. M., at the Town Hall, on the petition of James I. Black for the approval of a plan for purposes of subdivision.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS
E. R. LAWSON, Clerk
(1t)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Henry B. Bailey of Andover, in said County, an insane person.

A petition has been presented to said Court for license to sell at private sale a certain easement over certain real estate of said ward for investment.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the third day of November, 1947, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-seven.

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register.
James W. McManus, Atty.,
Bay State Building,
Lawrence, Mass. (16-23-30)

TOWN OF ANDOVER NOTICE

The Hill-Parker Co., Harold Parker Road, Andover, having petitioned the Board of Selectmen for a license to keep and store 2,000 gallons of gasoline in underground tanks, on the land of the petitioner on Harold Parker Road in the said Town of Andover, a public hearing on said Petition will be held on November 10, 1947 at 7:30 P. M., at the Town House, in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws relating thereto.

By order of the
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
GEO. H. WINSLOW, Town Clerk
(1t)

REALTY TRANSFERS

The following real estate transfers have been filed at the registry of deeds in Lawrence:

Chester F. Whitney, Jr., to Chester F. Whitney, St., et ux, River road.

Joseph A. Gleeson to Joseph Terrio, North street.

Percy L. Cook et ux to Robert E. Thom, Stevens street.

Walter H. Partridge et ux to Mason F. Arnold et ux, Carmel road.

William B. Baker to Sidney P. White, Osgood street.

Irene A. Stewart to Anna M. Greeley, Morton and Main streets.

Anna M. Greeley to Irene A. Stewart et alii, Morton and Main streets.

Helen Richardson to Catherine M. Waring, River road from South Lawrence to Lowell.

Catherine M. Waring to Helen Richardson, River road from South Lawrence to Lowell.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Catherine A. Barrett late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Joseph F. Barrett of Andover in said County be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the seventeenth day of November, 1947, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-seven.

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register.
Halbert W. Dow, Attorney
411-412 Bay State Building
Lawrence, Massachusetts (30-N6-13)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of Elizabeth M. McDonnell late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Gertrude E. McDonnell and Catherine A. McDonnell, both of Andover in said County, praying that they be appointed executors thereof without giving a surety on their bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the seventeenth day of November 1947, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John V. Phelan, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-seven.

RICHARD J. WHITE, JR., Register.
From the offices of:
A. John Ganem, Atty.
705 Cregg Bldg., Lawrence, Mass. (30-N6-13)

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK

The following pass books issued by the Andover Savings Bank have been lost and application has been made for the issuance of duplicate books. Public notice of such application is hereby given in accordance with Section 40, Chapter 590, of the Acts of 1908.

Payment has been stopped.
Book No. 55,924.
Book No. 60,015.

(30-N6-13)

AT THE CHURCHES

Baptist Church

Rev. Wendell L. Bailey, Pastor

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Church School for all departments; 10:45, Morning Worship, Observance of Holy Communion; Hand of Fellowship extended to new members; Special emphasis: Family Sunday; 7:30 p. m., Evening Service in the Church Parlor; the Pastor is discussing the Book of Romans.

Tuesday, 2:30 p. m., Prayer Cell meeting at the home of Miss Edna Todd; 3:00, Children's World Crusade in the Church Vestry, Miss Beulah Dennison, Leader; 7:30, Church School Teachers' and Officers meeting in the Church Parlor.

Wednesday, 2:30 p. m., Pioneer Girls meet in the Church Vestry.

Thursday, 10:00 a. m., Merrimac Baptist Women's Missionary Society Mid-Year meeting at First Calvary Baptist Church, Lawrence. Luncheon will be served at 12:00 noon; 7:00 p. m., Royal Ambassadors meet in the Church Vestry; 8:00, Adult Choir rehearsal in the parlor.

Friday, 3:00 p. m., Andover Council of Churches Women's meeting will be held in the Baptist Church Parlor.

Christ Church

Rev. John S. Moses, Rector

Saturday, All Saints' Day—10:00 a. m., Holy Communion.

Sunday, 8:00 a. m., Holy Communion (Corporate Communion of the Girls' Friendly Society); 9:30, Sunday School; 11:00, Holy Communion and Sermon; 5:30, Young People's Fellowship.

Monday, 3:00 p. m., Girl Scouts, Mrs. Follansbee's Troop.

Wednesday, 1:15 p. m., Week-Day Religious Education; 2:00, Girl Scouts, Mrs. Johnson's Troop.

Thursday, 10:00 a. m., Holy Communion; 3:00 p. m., Woman's Auxiliary—Business meeting and tea—Speaker, Miss Dorothy Hickie; 3:30, Girl Scouts, Miss Cole's Troop.

Friday, 6:30 p. m., Boy Scouts, Troop 70.

Cochran Chapel Phillips Academy

Rev. A. Graham Baldwin, Minister
Sunday, 11:00 a. m., Speaker: Reverend A. Graham Baldwin, School Minister.

South Church

Rev. Frederick B. Noss, Pastor

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Church School and the Junior Church; 9:30, High School Class; 9:30, Men's Group, speaker, Mr. Douglas Bradley; 10:45, Morning Worship and Communion (Reformation Sunday); 10:45, Church Kindergarten; 11:15, Educational Motion Pictures; 6:00 p. m., Young People's Society.

Monday, 7:30 p. m., The Junior King's Daughters.

Tuesday, 2:00 p. m., Sewing for the Lawrence General Hospital at the Free Church, Andover. Tea will be served.

Wednesday, 1:15 p. m., Week-Day School of the Christian Religion; 3:00, Worship Service and Bible Study Group of the Women's Union (note change of day); 7:30, The Junior Choir.

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Thursday, 10:30 a. m., District Meeting for Women's Work, Pawtucket Church, Lowell; 7:45 p. m., Church Choir.

Free Christian Church

Rev. Levering Reynolds, Jr., Pastor

Sunday, 9:30 a. m., Church School; 11:00, Morning Worship, with Holy Communion and the reception of new members; 11:00, Nursery Class for children whose parents wish to attend church.

Monday, 8:00 p. m., The January Circle will meet in the Church Parlor.

Tuesday, 1:30 p. m., A sewing meeting for the Lawrence General Hospital in the Parish House. All women interested are invited to attend.

Wednesday, 8:35 a. m., Mr. Reynolds will speak on the morning devotions program, Station WLAW; 7:45 p. m., Monthly meeting of the Women's Union—The program will be given over to a discussion of plans for the annual fair on Nov. 14. Worship and refreshments will be in charge of the November Circle. Mrs. John Mooney, chairman.

Thursday, 10:00 a. m. - 3:00 p. m., Andover District meeting for women in the Pawtucketville Church, Lowell; 3:45, Junior Choir Rehearsal; 7:00, Girl Scouts; 7:30, Senior Choir Rehearsal.

Friday, 3:00 p. m., World Community Day Service, under the auspices of the Andover Council of Church Women, in the Baptist Church; 7:00, Boy Scouts; 7:30, Cub Scout Committee meeting.

St. Augustine's Church

Rev. Thomas A. Fogarty, Pastor

Sunday, Masses at 6:30, 8:30, 9:45 (High) and 11:30 a. m. Benediction after 11:30.

West Parish Church

Rev. John Gilbert Gaskill, Minister

Sunday, 10:30, Family hour of instruction and Worship; Children's Church and Classes for Teen Ageds and Adults; 11:00, Morning Service of Worship with service of Holy Communion; Music by the Choir; Communion meditation; 7:30 p. m., Young People's Fellowship, an evening of devotion and half hour of fellowship. All young people invited.

Wednesday, 2:30 p. m., Senior Women's Union will meet in the Vestry. Mrs. Lloyd Wyse of Managua, Nicaragua will be the guest. All women cordially invited.

Thursday, 10:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m., Semi-Annual Meeting of the Woman's Department of the Andover District will be held at the Pawtucket Congregational Church, Lowell; 6:30 p. m., Inaugural Dinner starting campaign for \$20,000 enlarged Vestry and church budget for 1948. (See special item elsewhere in this issue).

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Shawsheen Village Woman's Club

Presidents Night To Be Celebrated

Presidents' Night will be observed at the Nov. 3rd meeting of the Shawsheen Village Woman's Club in the auditorium of the Shawsheen School at 8 p. m. Mrs. Edward J. O'Connor, president, will preside.

Colonel Eleanore C. Sullivan will speak on "Japan's Woman — Lady or Slave?" Miss Sullivan, with a background of observation in Japan, both before the war, and as a mem-

ber of the Occupation Forces at General MacArthur's Headquarters, brings us a greater understanding of the customs and habits in this strange country. Miss Sullivan brings with her several costumes which will be displayed by members of the club.

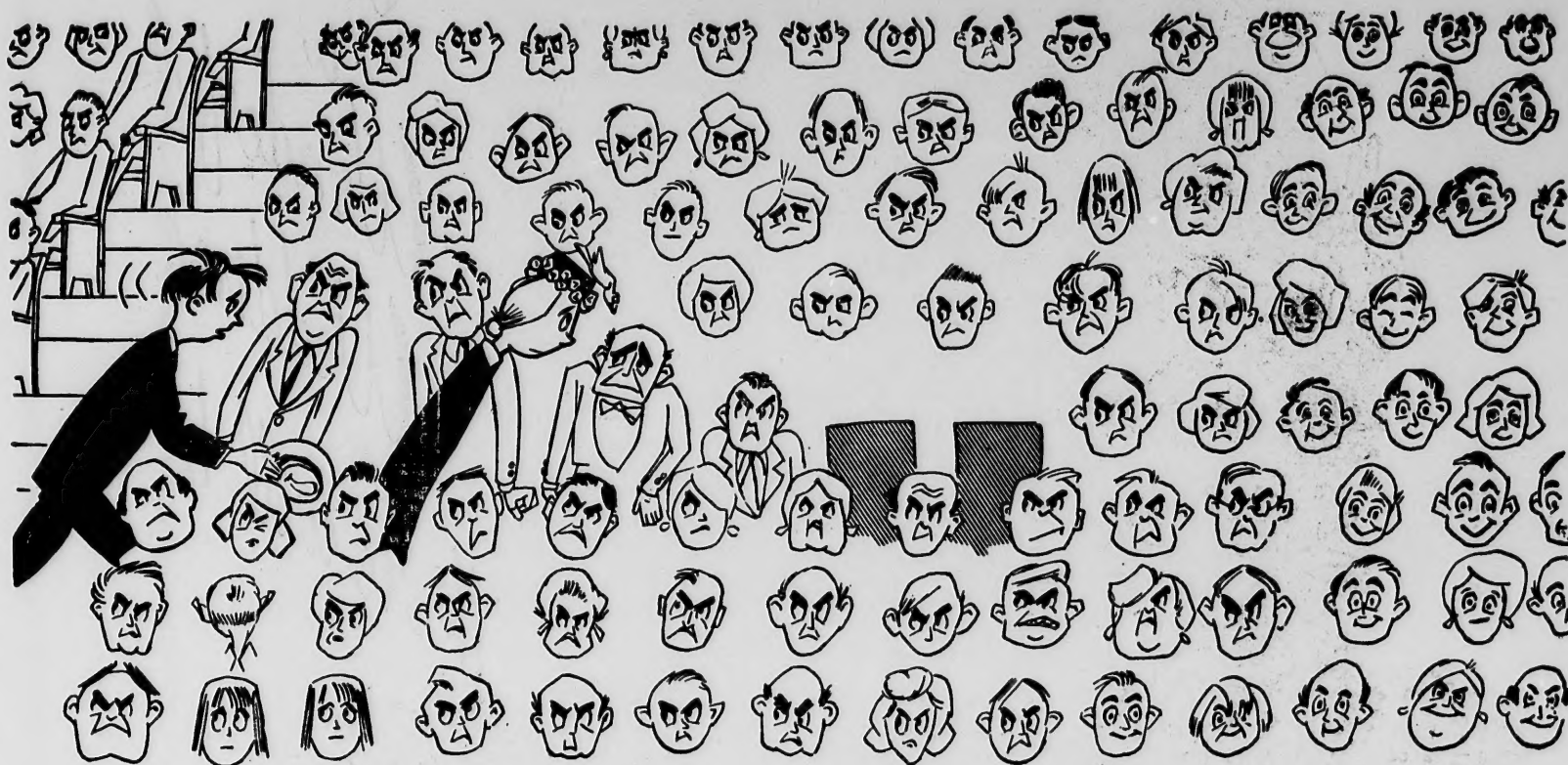
Miss Jean Stillman will be the guest violinist. Miss Stillman is a graduate of the New England Conservatory of Music.

Mrs. Frederick A. Higgins will be hostess chairman with the following assistants: Mrs. Wando Viets, Mrs. Dino Valz, Mrs. Van E. Tyler,

Mrs. Murray Tuttle, Mrs. William Trow, Mrs. Walter C. Tomlinson, Mrs. William S. Titcomb, Miss Vera Thurston, Mrs. William G. Thompson, Mrs. Lester M. Thompson, Mrs. Gordon Thompson, Miss Miriam Sweeney, Mrs. Walter Sullivan, Mrs. Daniel T. Sullivan, Mrs. Alfred Sughrue, Mrs. Frank Stevenson, Mrs. Clinton H. Stevens, Mrs. Arthur E. Steinert, Mrs. Wright Stafford, Mrs. Charles Sparks, Miss Eunice Stack, Miss Alice C. Stack, Mrs. Frederick C. Smith, Mrs. Byron Smith, Mrs. Walter H. Simon, Mrs. Howell F. Shepard.

The co-operation of the women in the Shawsheen Village Woman's Club is needed in regard to the making of Christmas bags for the disabled war veterans. If members cannot make a bag, donations of material, money, cigarettes, playing cards, etc., will be very acceptable. Members are asked to bring bags or donations to the November meeting of the club, and help some veteran have a more pleasant Christmas.

Mrs. Arthur Eff Steinert is chairman of this Department of Co-operation with Disabled War Veterans.



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Lv. Boston	Ar. Andover
10:55 P.M.	11:42 P.M.
11:55 P.M.	12:44 A.M.
SUNDAYS	
Lv. Andover	Ar. Boston
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Lv. Boston	Ar. Andover
11:30 P.M.	12:21 A.M.

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